

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:		
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For: ELASTIC SLEEVE FOR SHOE PRESS, METHOD OF MANUFACTURING  
THE ELASTIC SLEEVE FOR SHOE PRESS AND SHOE PRESS ROLL

Commissioner for Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.111**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of June 18, 2007, please amend this application as follows.

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